

ALEXANDRIA.

MONDAY EVENING, AUGUST 6.

IF PEOPLE would apply their common sense to all, as well as to some things, their own interests would be subserved the better. This is an essentially selfish world, and men's actions are inspired by what they, at least, believe will redound to their own advantage. This being so, why is not the fact that all the employers in the protected industries are staunch supporters of the protective tariff sufficient, of itself alone, to make it plain that, whether so or not, they think protection is for their benefit, and, by the law of equation, for the detriment of others? Human nature is the same in poor as in rich men. Who ever heard of employges subscribing an immense sum for the benefit of their employers? But the employers of Philadelphia have just promised Mr. Quay one million dollars for the republican election fund. It it in accordance with human nature that they have done so for the benefit of their employees?

MR. MILLS made a speech in New York last Saturday night in which he said : "President Cleveland is the noblest and grandest man who has graced the President ial chair during the past fifty years." During the earlier period of President Cleveland's term, Mr. Mills made a speech in the U. S. House of Representatives in which he spoke of Mr. Cleveland's administration as the "republican democratic administration." Whether Mr. Cleveland be the "grandest" or the "noblest" President the country has had during the last fifty years is an unsolved question with many people, but nobody doubts that the dread of incurring his displeasure is more potential with democratic Congressmen than was that of any of his predeces ors.

SENATOR BLAIR says,"while I would never fight a duel to vindicate my honor, I believe that I would do so to establish a precedent and convince the people of the South that they could not attack a Northern man with impunity." If Mr. Blair would not fight to vindicate his own honor, he need never be in any apprehension of the danger of a duel, that is if he were better acquainted with Southern people, for no Southern man believes he can attack a Northern man with impunity. The ignorance of the Northern people concerning their fellow-citizens of the South is a great drawback to the perfect amity that should subsist between the people of the two sections of a common

GENERAL SHERIDAN died last night. He was a great favorite in the North, where his death will be sincerely regretted, and was the idol of the republican party, in whose success he was naturally interested. Most of the prominent soldiers of the war between the States have already crossed the river, and the few remaining are bastening to join them. That all who deserve it may rest under the shade of the trees on the other side is the hope of every brave, man, years. for "the bravest were the tenderest; the loving were the daring."

THE MOST strenuous opposers of any re duction in the tariff are the owners of the large manufactories in the North, whose cry is that protection protects labor. But it has been found that among the importers of foreign cheap labor by far the largest are these identical men referred to. Their cry is for their workmen, but all the resulting profit is for themselves. When the pecple of the country shall correctly understand the tariff question the Mills bill will only whet their appetite for low tariff.

RISHOP VINCENT of the M. E. Church has deemed it his duty to enter the field of pol ities on the same side with the infidel Inger soil and the free whisky men. He says: "As a true prohibitionist and anti-Romanist I am a republican." It is such talk by such people that will induce many a man who otherwise would not take the trouble to go the polls next November, to make it his business to do so, just to show his detestation of republicanism, if its exponents and principles be such as those referred to.

THE FACT that ten of the colored dele gates to the late national republican convention left Chicago without paying their hotel bills will, it is said, induce the hotel keepers of the city in which the next national republican convention may be held to demand payment in advance of all such delegates, or else that they be vouched for by responsible white men.

MR. CARNEGIE clears a million and a half a year by means of the protective tariff on iron; and yet he employs Hungarian labor in his mines at ninety cents a day. No wonder Mr. Carnegie is in favor of a high tariff on iron.

From Washington

[Special Correspondence of the Alexs. GAZETTE.] WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 6, 1888.

This was the day for the regular meeting of the Senate District of Columbia Committee, but as usual no quorum was present and so again the consideration of the Mt. Vernon Avenue bill had to go over, as it is feared, will be the case on all the subsequent meetings days of the committee during the present session of Congress. A little tact and management could get an appropriation fir a road from the national capital to Mit Vernou at this session, but it seems that either both are lacking, or else that no memi er of either house is very deeply interested

decision in the case of the claim of Colonel Morby for the recovery of \$15,000 in fees which belonged to him, but which he turned

into the Treasury when U. S. consul at Hong Kong, until October. General Mahone passed through here Sunday on his way home from New York, to which city he went to consult with Mr. Quay, chairman of the national republican committee. The result of the consultation was entirely satisfactory to the General, who will be recognized by Mr. Quay's committee as the head of the republican party in Virginia. The General says there will be only one republican electoral ticket in Virginia, and that that will be the one selected at the

Petersburg convention.

In the House to day after the reading of a communication from the President in respect of the death of General Sheridan, General Wheeler, of Alabama, and Col. Hooker, of Mississippi, both spoke in laudation of the deceased, the latter moving that the House adjourn as a mark of respect for his memory. Some of the super loyal republicans in the House don't at all seem to relish the prominent part the "rebel brigadiers" take in the Sheridan business, and some of the republican members from Virginia ridicule the part referred to, and say it is unnatural that it should be sincere.

In the Senate to-day Mr. Reagan, of Texas, presented a petition of certain citizens of Frederick county, Va., for amendments to the interstate commerce law. Resolutions of regret for the death of General Sheridan were adopted, and Mr. Farwell, of Illinois, introduced a bill for giving Mrs. Sheridan an annual pension of \$5,000. Mr. Blair introduced a resolution authorizing the President to open negotiations with Great Britain for the political union of Canada or any part thereof with the United States. Mr. Edmonds, from the Judiciary Committee, on a bill to remove the political disabilities ex-Confederate, reperied that the fact that a man, before the war, had taken the oath of allegiance to the United States as a U. S. district attorney and subsequent ly entered the Confederate service, did not subject him to any political disabilities. A communication was received from the President on the subject of General Sheridan's death. The consideration of the Canadian fisheries treaty was then resumed, Mr. Vance supporting the ratification of the treaty and ridiculing the reasons assigned by the republicans for rejecting it.

It is reported t -day that the tariff bill will not be reported to the Senate before the 15th or 20th, and that then there will be a tong debate upon it; but the prevailing warm weather has driven many of the Senators away, and made some of those here sick, so the desire to adjourn as soon as possible may hasten matters somewhat.

Congressman Bowen, republican, who has just returned from his district, the 9.h Virginia, says he has not heard the report that General Walker, of Wytheville, had left the democratic party, devied, and that if it be true the General will be likely to carry others with him, as he is a man of influence in that section of the State.

Congressman Yost says the only man he has heard of as a possible rival of his for the republican congressional nomination is Judge George S. Stevens, of Nelson county, Mr. Yost says the anti Mahone portion of sure for grading, paving, and improving the bis party in Virginia will meet on the 8th streets, and therefore do not realize that if instant and determine what they will do in respect of their Presidential electoral ticket.

It is rumored in and about the navy department that an entire overhauling of the divisions of construction and repairing, equipment and recruiting, and steam enginsering will soon be commenced in that department, and that many changes will be made in the office ho'ders thereof in that department.

General Schofield being the senior major general in the army will probably be in command thereof. As there is now no necessity for a general or a lieutenant general, it is hoped that at least no democratic congressman may propose to raise General Scho

VIRGINIA NEWS.

A fire in Norfolk Saturday destroyed \$3000 worth of property.

There were two cases of sunstroke in Norfolk last Saturday.

M. C. Treiber, of Staunton, has made an assignment. Assets and liabilities not

Burwell B. Ewell, of Accomack county, died several days ago at his home, aged 62 liar features that I desire to call attention.

than one half the loss was covered by insur-The delegates from Accomac to the dem

ocratic congressional convention for the first district are solid for State Senator Blackstone.

The shipment of cattle from The Plains, Fauquier county, has been light for the past few weeks; but there are still many cattle in the county

An employe of a well known commercial concern has defaulted in Richmond for \$2,500, but the name of the party and the details have been suppressed. Miss Cecelia Fletcher, sister of Robert H.

and Edwin Fletcher, died at the residence of the latter, in Fauquier county, on the 27th ult., in the 56th year of her age.

hold precinct meetings on the 18th to ap-

point delegates to the district convention to be held in this city on September 5 to nominate a candidate for Congress.

was badly stunned and partially paralyzed by the shock. At Wilmington, Del., on Saturday, the Pusey & Jones Company launched a steamer for the O.d Dominion Steamship Company, 100 feet long, 20 feet beam and 7 feet of hold. She will ply between Norfolk and

Suffolk, and will be fitted for both passengers and freight. Steps are being taken by the Chesapeake and Onio Railroad to double track its entire line across West Virginia, from Clitton Forge, to Huntington, on the Onio river. The tunnels on the route are already of

double track width. The result of the recent Mahone conference in Petersburg is said to have been the indorsement for Congress of R. W. Arnold, who has formally announced himself as a candidate. It is not thought that Langston Farmville convention.

A colored flagman on the Norfolk and Western Railroad, between Big Sgring and Dyerlie's went to sleep Saturday with his head resting against one of the rails. A train came along and the wheels caught his hair and almost completely scalped him. He was taken to Roanoke for medical attention.

Mesars, Bathung and Leffcias sold on July Rosars, Bathung and Leffcias sold on July Rosars.

Messrs. Bathune and Jeffries sold on July 31, to Miss Fannie R. Bethune, the store house and lot on Main street, in Manassas, belonging to L. R. Houchens, for \$1,400 cash. ther note are lacking, of else that no member of either house is very deeply interested at matter.

They also sold on August 2 Mr. J. C. All scheme of street improvement has all the more port's farm at Casanova to Mr. G. T. Williams, of Middlesex county, for \$10,000 cash.

The Court of Claims will not render a liams, of Middlesex county, for \$10,000 cash.

NEWS OF THE DAY. Theodore Thomas, it is said, will disband

his orchestra. A heavy rain fell in Baltimore yesterday

for two hours, and did some damage. A number of Naval Academy graduates have been discharged with one year's sea

psy. One negro man was murdered in Washington last Saturday night and another probably fatally cut. Rev. Joshua Yeager, the oldest clergyman

in the Lutheran Ministry of Pennsylvania, is dead, aged 86 years. The democrats of the fourth congressional district of Texas bave unanimously renomi

nated David B. Culberson for Congress. It is estimated that there are 125,000 Hebrews in New York city, a number a little less than one-third the entire population of

the race in the United States. Robert Elder, aged 18, shot and killed his father, John Elder, on Saturday, at Ham-monton, N. J. They were both in love with the same woman. The murderer escaped.

Gen. Philip Henry Sheridan died at Nonquit, Mass., last night. He began to grow worse in the afternoon, and gradually sank. His illness began about the middle of May. He was in the 58th year of his age.

Ex-Governor Porter, of Indiana, has writ. ten another letter in reply to a friend utging him to accept the gubernatorial nomination, in which he positively and unconditionally refuses to accept the proffered honor. Hon. Adin Thayer, who, next to Senator

Hoar, has for years been the most conspicuous figure in the politics of Massachusetts, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor, at 7 o'clock Saturday morning at Worcester. The relations of Italy and France have

become strained in consequence of the annexation by the former of Ma-sowah, Abysinia, and the Island of Kalla, to the south Austria has acquiesced readily in this annexation, and has surrendered at Massowas the right exercised of protecting Austrian subjects from its irregularities of local judicial procedure. France, however, strengously opposes the annexation, and refuses to surrender its rights under the canitulations.

COMMUNICATED.

The Proposed New Grades.

There is at this time pending in the City Council a measure, the importance of which the public at large know but very little off. It is but seldom that sweeping and radical a change in the grades of the streets is proposed, as is embracid in the measure now before the Council. The citizens, whose property interests are most affected by the proposed changes, are in blissful ignorance of the calamity that is thus impending over and threatening them.
There has been no publicity given to the details and particulars of the measure, as to the charges, damage, or costs it would in-volve, or as to how it would affect the property along its line. The people, indeed, have a vague idea that it is a general mea the present bill is carried out in detail they will be involved in ruinous loss and damage by the injury done to their property, in the impairment of its value, by the heavy costs necessary to reinstate it, and by the burdensome tax for grading and paving in front of their premises, which they will have to bear. Knowledge on any subject, to be of value, must be timely. It will be too late when the

damage is done, to wake up to its realiza-tion; the remedy then will be past. It can be clearly shown, I think, that this is one of those questions in which the pec-ple are the most interested parties, and that they should have protection, or they will protect themselves. I now proceed to notice some of the prominent features of the so called street improvement measure. I can only advert to a few which most impressed me at the time I had the opportunity of inspectiong the plot or map. The data for the heights are presumed to be correct, as they were given by an engineer of reputed competency. The map itself, as I understand, was made by other parties, who worked up and used the aforesaid data, in equating and delineating the grades there-on. It is to the map and some of its pecurears.

First, then, beginning on the corner of
The work of rebuilding the burnt district King and Patrick streets, and running in Suffolk has already commenced. More north to Cameron, the map shows than one half the loss was covered by insur- a rise or hip in the middle of the a rise or hip in square of three feet or more, done t'was said to pitch the water both ways. done This change of grade will raise the side walks above the first floors of some of the houses on the west side of this square. It will subject them to expense of raising their floors, steps and cellar doors, and in some it will necessitate a change in the second story floors, and also the roofs, to get a proper height for the tories. There is no telling what the damage and cost will be by such a radical departure from the present line. Now, the most singular thing in this matter is that there is no necessity for any change of grade whatever on 'his square; the pressent line for about 90 feet, falls to King street by a gentle descent. The rest of the equare falls to Cameron street by an easy Two men, giving their name; as George Hind, of Rochester, N. Y, and M. W. Lindsay, of New York city, are under arrest at Petersburg, charged with passing counterfeit money.

The democratic voters of Fauquier will bold precinct meetings on the 18th to apthe square, by raising a bill in the centre, there by marring its appearance and injuring it for driving purposes. Secondly, going still north on Patrick street, we find the square between Camer-During a thunder squall yesterday afternoon the residence of Mark Hughes, in the
Gosport section of Portsmouth, was struck
by lightning and damaged. Mrs. Hughes

on and Queen streets already grated, the full of the water that falls on this square has an easy and speedy outlet on Queen street. There is no necessity whatever for interfering with the grade of this square, as it has fully two feet fall. Yet on and Queen streets already graded, curbed and of this square, as it has fully two feet fall. Yet notwithstanding these facts that are so apparent to all, the map shows another hill or raise of 18 inches or more in the centre of this square also. The mapmaker must have been partial to crooked lines; a straight line was too tame or common a thing to be employed, or else in making the map there was a strange oblivion to the rights of thos most interested, a recklessness of the damage, cost and inconvenience his work would entail. If the proposed p'an is carried out in this square there will occur the same damage and loss to the property-holders as mentioned in the first case. The line o grade in the centre of the square will raise the sidewalks 18 inches or more above the present the sidewalks 18 inches or more above the present with the line of the square will raise the sidewalks 18 inches or more above the present with the line of the square will raise the sidewalks 18 inches or more above the present with the line of the square will raise the sidewalks 18 inches or more above the present with the line of the square will raise the sidewalks and the square will raise the square wille height. This will swallow up the first floors of at least six houses—two on the west and four on the east side of this square. Some of them are now only about five or six inches above the pavement line. The pavement will be a f ot or more above the first floors, which will involve a complete change of the houses. It will necessitate the raising of the floors and roofs to give proper candidate. It is not thought that Langston stands any chance of a nomination in the Farmville convention.

Height to the stories. Can the committee having the matter in charge be really aware of the damage and loss to the owners of this property which the proposed change of grade will cause? I am charitable enough to believe that they have not really seen the great injury which an adherence



Proceedings of Congress. WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 6

SENATE.

In his opening prayer the Chaplain allud ed in feeling terms to the death of General Sheridan.

Mr. Edmunds asked unanimous consent to introduce resolutions respecting the memory of the deceased. Consent was granted, and Mr. Edmunds made a few complimentary remarks eulogistic of the late General, after which the resolutions were adopted unanimously.

Subsequently a bill was introduced by Mr. Palmer, and referred to the Committee on Pensions, granting a pension of \$5,000 a year to Mrs. Sheridan.

The Senate subsequently resumed the consideration of the fisheries treaty in open executive session and was addressed by Mr. Vance in favor of its ratification.

The Senate at 1:55 adjourned out of respect to the memory of General Sheridan. HOUSE.

In his prayer, when the House was called to order to-day, the Chaplain alluded to the death of General Sheridan.

A message from the President officially announcing the General's death and speaking in complimentary terms of the deceased was then received. After the transaction of some routine business, the House adjourned as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased.

Foreign News.

BERLIN, Aug. 6 .- The King of Sweden will arrive here on the 20th inst. to act as godfather to Emperor William's youngest

Prince Alfred of Salm Reifferscheidt Dock formerly imperial court marshal, is dead. Seven socialists have been sentenced to mprisonment for terms varying from two months to three years for insulting the imperial house.

Rain continues falling in torrents, but reports from the provinces say that the floods are beginning to subside. Terrible damage has been done to crops and many head of cattle have been lost near Keonigsburg, Elb ing and Sagau. The railways are interrupted at Gorlitz and Bromberg. Great damage has been done to property in many places.

LONDON, Aug. 6 -Mr. Parnell writes to the Times challenging Mr. Chamberlain to publish the local Government scheme alleg. ed to be in Parnell's handwrining.

DUBLIN, Aug. 6 .- The court here has confirmed the conviction of Mr. John Dillon and has refused the application for a writ of habeas corpus for his release from prison. The application was based on the ground that owing to informalities the county court judge who sentenced him on appeal had no urisdiction to rehear the case.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 6.—The Turkish Ambassador at Berlin has notified the Porte that negotiations between Germany, Austria and Italy, on the Bulgarian question, will soon be begun; also, that the coming meeting between M. de Giers, the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Prince Bismarck will lead to the holding of a Congress at Barlin, the deliberatione of which will be confined exclusively to the Bulgarian dif-

The Late General Sheridan.

Washington, Aug. 6-The President was informed of the death of General Sheridan this morning and immediately sent the

following dispatch to Mrs. Sheridan. WASHINGTON, Aug. 6, 1888. To Mrs. Sheridan, Nonquitt, Massachusette, via New Bedford.

While the nation mourns its loss and shares your sorrow let me express to you my personal grief and most sincere condolence. GROVER CLEVELAND.

By direction of the President the flags on all the public buildings, the hotels and many business houses are at half mast out of respect to the memory of Gen. Sheridan. The President has directed Maj. Gen. Schofield to take charge of the military arrangements for the funeral of the deceased and to consult Mrs. Sheridan's wishes on the subject. An order will be issued closing the Execu-

tive Departments on the day of the funeral. Nonquitt, Mass., Aug. 6 .- All through yesterday Gen. Sheridan had been in unusually good spirits, laughing and chatting with his brothers and members of the family After dinner at the hotel Mrs. Sheridan carried down to the General a large slice of roast beef, which he ate with apparent relish. He dozed off a bit during the afternoon, but awoke at supper and then went to sleep again. The unvariable symptoms made their appearance so unexpectedly and were so rapid in development that the children were aroused barely in time to take a last look at their dying father. It was this morning substantially arranged that Gen. Sheridan's remains will be transported to Washington in a special car to leave New Bedford Wednesday, and that the funeral services will be held in St. Matthew's Church as soon as possible thereafter, either Thursday or Friday. The remains will be interred at the grounds of the Soldiers' Home in Washington. Mrs. Sheridan has requested that the funeral obsequies be conducted with military honors.

Terrific Wind and Rain Storms. CAIRO, Ills., Aug 6 .- A terrific wind and rain storm prevailed here yesterday for nearly an hour, which did considerable damage in the city and on the river. The wind blew at the rate of about sixty miles per hour for ten minutes, and the rain fell in torrents. Hundreds of heavy trees were ration this season, and that she will then blown down in all parts of the city and bid farewell to the stage and become the fences signs and awnings are strong wife of Fred. Gebbard. The marriage is to fences, signs and awnings are strewn along the walks. The roof of the engine room of the Cairo elevator was destroyed cessity for a change of the grade, I should be si-lent and acquiesce at once, but there is none whatand two warehouses were blown down in of a patent medicine to disclose the nature the upper part of the city. The greatest of its ingredients and to submit to an official ever in the two squares above mentioned, as I have shown, and as a careful inspection by a practiced eye will show to any one; hence the present analysis. damage was done on the river. A barge of

and sunk in three fathoms of water. One of the machinery boats used in sinking the calesons for the bridge over the Ohio here very dull this morning throughout. First prices was wrenched from its moorings at the pier | were cither unchanged or but slight fractions difand its side torn, but was prevented from going down by the good work, on the part of those in charge.

SALEM, N. J., Aug. 6. - This city and vicinity was visited last night by one of the heaviest rain storms this section has had for some time. During the storm lightning struck the large barns on the farm of the the hour. Money easy at 1a1 42. late Joshua Thompson, near the city, setting them on fire and completely destroying them, together with all the season's grain, hay, farming utensils and so forth. No stock was destroyed, as it being Sunday everything was in the pasture.

READING, Pa., Aug. 6.-The storm of Saturday evening in northern Berks and adpining counties, was one of the most severe experienced in that section for years. No less than four barns were burned by lightning, and other property damaged.

An American Vessel Captured.

ST. ANDREWS, N. B., Aug. 6 .- A sensation has been caused here by the arrival of the Dominion cruiser Dream with an American vessel in tow. On Saturday, Wm. Danbury, of Eastport, who is commonly known as the King Haddock Fisherman of the Maine coast, and Charles Black set sail from a border town on a fishing expedition in Canadian waters. They failed to provide themseives with a license. They sailed as far as Campobello and were just getting ready to fish when the commander of the cruiser caught sight of them and bore down upon them. The two fishermen tried hard to cross into American waters, but were overhauled and made prisoners. The fishery department was notified.

Burglary.

WICHITA, Kan., Aug. 6.-Burglars entered the retail clothing and gentlemen's supply store of Bitting Bros. Saturday night and carried off \$5,000 worth of jewelry and clothing. The robbery is one of the most extensive that ever occurred in this city. One of the thieves was detected at the Union Depot Hotel Sunday and arrested and all of the goods recovered. He was detected by means of trade mark cards and cards taken from the jewelry which he left in a bureau drawer in the hotel.

Three Boys Shot.

QUINCY, Ill., Aug. 6 .- Three boys, Herman Kemper, Otto Bergman and Ed. Hogenbaum, each about 10 years old, were stealing apples in an orchard in the southern part of the city yesterday afternoon when they were discovered by Roder, an employe of the owner. Roder got a double barreled shot gun, and creeping up to the boys, emptied both barrels at short range. All the boys were wounded. Kemper, seri ously. Roder was arrested.

Typhoid Fever.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 6.-Typhoid fever of a malignant type is prevailing as an epidemic in and around the village of Wachapreague. Accomac county, Va., on the seaside, where fully twenty persons are prostrased with this disease. The physicians of the place attribute it to defective drainage and contaminated drinking water. Only one death has been thus far reported.

Mr. Robert Garrett.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6 .- Mr. Robert Garrett's condition is unchanged to-day. His private secretary, A. B. Crane, was seen to-day at the Brevoort House where the fatient is stopping and he said that Mr. Garrett would be taken to Bar Harbor this evening or to- Oats are coming in in bad condition, most of the morrow.

Will Not Support the Strikers. NEW YORK, Aug. 6.-The car drivers and conductors in this city will not support their striking brethren in Greenpoint. They say that the step was an ill advised one and the strike utterly uncalled for.

Letters of Acceptance.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6 .- The letters of accept ance of the national prohibition party candidates for President and Vice-President are made public this afternoon.

The State committee of the anti-Mahone wing of the republican party in Richmond will meet Wednesday to map out a plan of action for the campaign. The most important question to decide is whether they will accept the proposition submitted by Mahone to leave the question of electors to the congressional conventions. The members of the national republican committee are trying to induce Wise, Cameron and others to accept Mahone's offer, but it is asserted to day that Houston's committee will decline to entertain Mahone's proposition.

A fire occurred at Blackstone, a village on the Norfolk and Western Railway, Saturday, which destroyed the Southern ware house, a hotel and a number of other buildings. The loss is estimated at \$30,000; insurance \$12,500. The fire is supposed to have originated from sparks from an engine in the warehouse.

BASE BALL.—In the League games for the base ball championship played on Saturday the New Yorks by defeating Bostons in the third game of the series, by a score of 13 to 6, tightened their hold on first place, Chicago again stepped in front of Detroit, the former winning from Indifront of Detroit, the former winning from Indi-snapolis by 7 to 3, and the latter losing to Pitts-burg by 3 to 5. Pittsburg stepped ahead of Bos-ton, the latter dropping to sixth place, while the Philadelphias bettered their percentage by de-feating Washington by a score of 7 to 0—making the sixteenth coat of whitewash for the "Sena-tors." The New York is the only club in either the Legeng of Association that has not been black. the League or Association that has not been blank.

John Schmalzel, a German tailor, aged 55 years, of Baltimore, committed suicide about two o'clock yesterday morning by jumping into Jones's Falls. Schmalzel was a native of Germany, but came to Baltimore when a boy. For three years or more he had suffered from chronic dysentery, which eventually weakened his brain.

It is said that Mrs. Langtry's theatrical engagements will be only of ten weeks' dutake place in California.

In France the law compels the proprietor

Nearly two inches of rain fell in Balti-

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, August 6.-The stock market was ferent from Saturday's closing figures, but the market became strong immediately, and advancewere made all over the list, though the very limited business transacted restricted the changes in quotations in most of the list to the smallest fractions. There was no special feature to the deal ings, and the market continued strong until 11 o'clock, being at that time at the best prices of

BALTIMORE, August 6 .- Virginias conso i ated 39; past-due coupons 64; do 10-40s 35% do new 3s 65% bid to-day.

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Flour, fine...... \$2.75

Damp and tough

Family ..

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Fancy brands... Wheat, Longberry.

Fultz.....

Fair Wheat.

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Flour is firmly held, and no concessions are made in current figures by either dealers or mill ers. Wheat is still subject to sensational Euro pean weather reports, and consequently very in regular; prices advanced a fraction on Saturday. recovering a part only of the loss of the few days previous; sa'es on 'Change to-lay were at 70, 73 75 and 80 for musty and common, and at 82, 83 86, 87, and 88 for fair to prime; no strictly choice was offered. Corn is weak and lower white 60a61 in bulk. Rye is quiet at 50a55. offerings being very damp and badly cleaned; new 27a31. Eggs, Butter, Potatoes and other produce are dull and lower.

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Hominy Chop Cotton Seed Meal

Wheat Bran & ton & car... Brown Middlings White Middlings

Baltimore, Aug. 6—Cotton dull and steady, middling 103411. Flour active and firm Howard street and Western super \$2.50a 2.85; do extra \$3.00a3.75; do family \$4.15 a4.65; City Mills super \$2.50a.2.65; do extra \$3.25a3.75; do Rio brands \$4.60a4.85; Patapseo superlative patent \$5.60; do family \$5.35. Wheat—Southern active, strong and higher. Fu'tz 88a93; longberry 89a94; Western strong and fairly active; No 2 winter red spot 91% 91%; Sept 91%a51%5; Oct 92a92%; Dec 94a.94%; Corn—Southern dull and easy; white 55a.60; yellow 56a58; Western quiet and steady, mixed apot 52a52%; Aug. 52%4852%; Sept 53a.53%; year 46%4847. Oats quiet but firm; Southern and Penna 36a40; Western white 42a43; do mixed 35a37. Bye dull at 54a56. Hay firm and higher; prime to choice We tern \$19.20. BALTIMORE, Aug. 6 -Cotton dull and steady do mixed 35a37. Bye dull at 54a56. Hay firm and higher; prime to choice We tern \$10a20. Provisions quiet and firm. Mess Pork \$1550a 15.75. Bulkmeats—shoulders and clear rib sides patked \$8a94c; hams 134ca14. Land—refined 94ca10. Butter firm; Western packed 14a16. creamery 15a20 Eggs steady at 134ca14. Coffee steady; Rio cargoes fair 133c. Whisky firm at \$1.26a1c28.

New York, August 6.—Cotton firm; uplands 11 1-16; Orleans 11 3-16; futures firm. Flour quiet and firm. Wheat higher. Corn higher. Pork steady at \$15 25a15 50. Lard firmer at

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In Hagerstown, Md., August 4th, 1888, RE-BECCA ROSE, infant daughter of R. Pendleton and Bettie Bruin.

At Harshesville, Ohio, Saturday, July 28, HUGH PITTENGER, only son of Ernest and Exic At-well, aged two years and four months.

227 ATTENTION, KNIGHTS OF PUTHIAS -There will be a meeting of Rathbone Division at Oriental Castle Tuesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. A full
attendance is desired, as Mr. W. C. Reil, of M. C.
Selly & Co., is here to take measures and show
sample. By order of Sam'l. L. Monroe.
aug6 2t Capt. Commde

A regular monthly meeting of the Hydraul. ion Steam Fire Engine Company will be held on Tuesday evening, August 7th at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested, as business of im-

portance is to be transacted.
aug 6 2t H. L. RAMEY, Secretary. CONFEDERATE VETERANS.—The regular monthly meeting of B. E. Camp, Confederate Veterans, will be held on Monday evening, August 6th, 1889, at 8 o'clock.

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